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Applicant: George A. Pecoraro et al.  
Appl. No.: 09/780,887  
Filed: February 9, 2001  
Title: METHODS OF ADJUSTING GLASS MELTING AND  
FORMING TEMPERATURES WITHOUT SUBSTANTIALLY  
CHANGING BENDING AND ANNEALING TEMPERATURES  
AND GLASS ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY

Group Art Unit: 1755  
Examiner: E. A. Bolden  
Conf. No. 9023  
Docket No.: 1657A1

**TERMINAL DISCLAIMER FOR ANY PATENT ISSUING ON U.S. PATENT  
APPLICATION SERIAL NUMBER 09/974,124 AND ON ANY APPLICATION CLAIMING  
THE BENEFIT OF SUCH APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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Your petitioner, PPG INDUSTRIES OHIO, INC., a corporation of the State of Delaware, having a place of business at Cleveland, in the County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio, represents as follows:

That it is the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to the captioned United States Application Serial No. 09/780,887, filed February 9, 2001, for "METHODS OF ADJUSTING GLASS MELTING AND FORMING TEMPERATURES WITHOUT SUBSTANTIALLY CHANGING BENDING AND ANNEALING TEMPERATURES AND GLASS ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY";

That the assignment conveying to PPG Industries Ohio, Inc., the entire right, title and interest in said Application Serial No. 09/780,887, filed February 9, 2001, was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 2, 2001, at Reel 011688, Frame 0996, and has 4 pages;

That it is the Assignee of the entire right, title and interest in and to United States Application Serial No. 09/974,124, filed October 8, 2001, for "METHODS OF ADJUSTING TEMPERATURE CHARACTERISTICS AND GLASS ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY";

That the assignment conveying to PPG Industries Ohio, Inc., the entire right, title and interest in said Application Serial No. 09/974,124, filed October 8, 2001, was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 16, 2002 , at Reel 012529, Frame 0233, and has 4 pages;

That your petitioner, PPG INDUSTRIES OHIO, INC., hereby disclaims and dedicates to the public the terminal part of any patent granted on the captioned patent application Serial No. 09/780,887, filed February 9, 2001 which would extend beyond the date of 20 years from the first filing date of the of Application Serial No. 09/974,124, filed October 8, 2001, for "METHODS OF ADJUSTING TEMPERATURE CHARACTERISTICS AND GLASS ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY";

That your petitioner, PPG INDUSTRIES OHIO, INC., hereby disclaims and dedicates to the public the terminal part of any patent granted on any application that claims the benefit of the filing date of the captioned patent application under 35 U.S.C. 120, 121, or 365(c), which would extend beyond the date of 20 years from the first filing date of the of Application Serial No. 09/974,124, filed October 8, 2001, for "METHODS OF ADJUSTING TEMPERATURE CHARACTERISTICS AND GLASS ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY";

That your petitioner does not disclaim any terminal part of any patent granted on the captioned patent application and any application that claims the benefit of the filing date of the captioned patent application under 35 U.S.C. 120, 121, or 365(c), prior to the date of the full statutory term for any patent that issues for Application Serial No. 09/974,124, filed October 8, 2001, for "METHODS OF ADJUSTING TEMPERATURE CHARACTERISTICS AND GLASS ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY" in the event that hereafter any such said U.S. Patent expires for failure to pay a maintenance fee, is held unenforceable, is found invalid, has all claims canceled by a reexamination certificate, is reissued, or is otherwise terminated prior to expiration of its full statutory term;

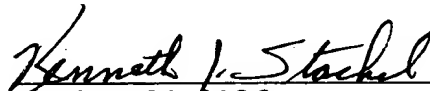
That your petitioner, PPG INDUSTRIES OHIO, INC., hereby agrees that this agreement is to run with any patent granted on the

captioned patent application Serial No. 09/780,887, filed February 9, 2001, for "METHODS OF ADJUSTING GLASS MELTING AND FORMING TEMPERATURES WITHOUT SUBSTANTIALLY CHANGING BENDING AND ANNEALING TEMPERATURES AND GLASS ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY", and to be binding upon any grantee, its successors, and assigns.

WHEREFORE, your petitioner, PPG INDUSTRIES OHIO, INC., prays that this TERMINAL DISCLAIMER be made of record in the file of this Application Serial No. 09/780,887, filed February 9, 2001, for "METHODS OF ADJUSTING GLASS MELTING AND FORMING TEMPERATURES WITHOUT SUBSTANTIALLY CHANGING BENDING AND ANNEALING TEMPERATURES AND GLASS ARTICLES PRODUCED THEREBY" and further that this TERMINAL DISCLAIMER be given due effect under 37 CFR 1.321.

Respectfully submitted,

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